- (2) a melting, smelting, heating, or annealing coke oven, aluminum furnace, anode bake oven, electrolytic pot, cathode, refractory, or other material used in relining and rebuilding a furnace or oven[.]; OR
- (3) A FOUNDATION TO SUPPORT OTHER MACHINERY OR EQUIPMENT OR AN ITEM REQUIRED TO CONFORM TO AN AIR OR WATER POLLUTION LAW AND NORMALLY CONSIDERED PART OF REAL PROPERTY.

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect July 1, 2000.

Approved April 25, 2000.

## **CHAPTER 66**

(Senate Bill 238)

AN ACT concerning

## Baltimore City Charter Amendment - General Powers - Tax Increment Financing

FOR the purpose of altering the conditions under which Baltimore City may borrow money by issuing and selling certain bonds to finance and refinance the development of certain development districts; authorizing the Mayor and City Council to conditionally pledge certain revenues, subject to annual appropriation by the Mayor and City Council, to the repayment of certain bonds; altering the circumstances under which certain ordinances must be submitted to the legal voters of Baltimore City for approval; and generally relating to tax increment financing in Baltimore City.

BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,

The Charter of Baltimore City

Article II - General Powers

Section (62)

(1996 Edition, as amended)

SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF MARYLAND, That the Laws of Maryland read as follows:

## The Charter of Baltimore City

## Article II - General Powers

The Mayor and City Council of Baltimore shall have full power and authority to exercise all of the powers heretofore or hereafter granted to it by the Constitution of Maryland or by any Public General or Public Local Laws of the State of Maryland; and in particular, without limitation upon the foregoing, shall have power by